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STATE IMAGING DEVICE, AND CAMERA USING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

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Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

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